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WELDING INSPECTION REPORT

Resident Engineer: Pursell, Gary **Report No:** WIR-001513 Address: 333 Burma Road **Date Inspected:** 26-Feb-2008

City: Oakland, CA 94607

OSM Arrival Time: 600 **Project Name:** SAS Superstructure **OSM Departure Time:** 1430 **Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV

Contractor: Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Location:** Shanghai, China

CWI Name: Cui Yi Ru **CWI Present:** Yes No **Inspected CWI report:** Yes N/A **Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No No N/A N/A **Electrode to specification:** Yes No Weld Procedures Followed: Yes No N/A **Qualified Welders:** Yes No N/A **Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A N/A Yes No N/A **Approved Drawings:** Yes No **Approved WPS:** Yes No N/A **Delayed / Cancelled:**

Bridge No: 34-0006 **Component:** OBG

Summary of Items Observed:

Caltrans Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector Tim McClendon arrived on site at the Zhenhua Port Machinery Company (ZPMC) facility at Changxing Island, in Shanghai, China to periodically monitor welding and Quality Control (QC) functions. While on site the QA Inspector observed and/or discovered the following.

Caltrans QA Inspector McClendon monitored Flux Cored Arc Welding on the final weld pass, of a CJP weld, of the OBG Floor Beam Flange Splice Welds on FB003-08, FB003-06, and FB003-07 weld number 103. ZPMC welder Mr. Lui Long Xian Certification Number 044786 appeared to be welding in accordance with WPS-B-T-2131-B-U2-F-1 and AWS D1.5 (2002) requirements. The following welding variables were recorded for FB003-08 amperage 274, voltage 29.4 Travel Speed 535mm/min, for FB003-06 amperage 291, voltage 29.2 Travel Speed 531mm/min, and for FB 003-07 amperage 285, voltage 30.2 Travel Speed 526mm/min. ZPMC Certified Welding Inspector (CWI) Cui Yi Ru Certification number 00072221 and ZPMC Quality Control (QC) Wang Sai Fa were observed monitoring and recording welding variables.

Summary of Conversations:

No relevant conversations spoken on this date.

Comments

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Mazen Wahbeh, (818) 292-0659, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

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Inspected By: McClendon, Timothy Quality Assurance Inspector **Reviewed By:** Cuellar,Robert QA Reviewer